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The Northern Mail will close, daily, at 1 and 9 o'clock, p. m., except on Saturdays—then at 1 o'only, closing at 9 p. m., on Saturdays.

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Richmond, will close at 5½ a. m., and 1 p. m., except on Sundays—then at 5½ a. m.

The Mails for the Orange and Alexandria and Manassas Gap Railcoads, Warrenton, Middleburg, and Pairfax C. H., close daily at 51 a. m. There is no mail for the Manassas Gap Railroad on Sun-

The Mail for the Leesburg route will close on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, at 9 p. m. There is a mail for Leesburg, via Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, closing at 9 p. m., on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Sandays. The Mad for the Abdie route will close at 7 a. m.,

Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays.

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s. m., Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays.
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at 7 p. m., daily, except Sundays.

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[ap 13] FOWLE & CO. VESSELS WANTED.—To load Coal to Philadelphia, New York, Providence, Boston, and other ports, to the North and East. Also freights for small vessels in the Bay. Apply to D. B. SMITH. Queen street Wharf.

ap 7-tf MOUNT VERNON AND THE TOMB of WASH-INGTON. Three Times a Week until further Notice.

The steamer THOMAS COLLYER will, from after the 4th of March, run regularly to Mount Vernon and the Tomb of Washington, on TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS, and FRIDAYS, leaving the wharf, at the foot of 7th street, Washington, at 91, A. M., and returning in time for the early afternoon train for Baltimore. Coaches leave all the betels, and the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and 7th street, at 9, A. M.-Roand trip \$1. mb 5-tf

ARRANGEMENT 1859. HOURS OF DEPARTURE OF STEAMERS GEORGE PAGE and THOS. COLLYER.

From Washington-Steamer GEORGE PAGE at 6, 9, and 11, a. m., 127, 3, 5, and 64 p. m. From Washington-Steamer THOS, COLLYER -at 8, 10, a. m., 12, m., 2, 4, and 6, p. m. From Alexandria — Steamer GEORGE PAGE— at 3, 5, 10, a. m., 117 m., 12, 4, and 52 p. m.

From Alexandria Steamer THOS. COLLYER -at 7. 9, 11 a. m., 1, 3, and 5 p. m., except Tuesday and Friday mornings, when the COLLYER will run her regular trips to MOUNT VERNON, as heretofore, and omit her trips between Washington and Alexandria from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. only. The 3f. 6f. a. m., and 2f p. m. boats from Aiex

andria connect with the trains of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad for the North and West. The 61 a. m. and 71 p. m. boats from Washing-ton connect with the trains of the Orange and Alexandria Railroad for the South and South West.

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onnecting with the Orange & Alexandria and Manassas Gap Railroads, Chesapeake and Ohio Caual, &c. Freights will be taken at low rates, and Goods forwarded promptly, free of charge.

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THOMAS WEBSTER, JR., 14 North Wharves, Philadelphia. or to STEPHEN SHINN, 61 Union-street, Alexandria.

NOTICE. - The Steamer COLUM-NOTICE.—The Steamer Harper, having been thoroughly repaired and improved, will resume her trips between Baltimore and this place leaving Baltimore, on Saturday, 19th instant, at 3 o'clock, and returning, leave this place, on the fol-

lowing Wednesday, at 7, A. M. WHEAT & BRO., Agents. N. B. The freight on merchandise for the different landings on the river, will invariably be require

NOTICE.—The steamer JAMES GUY having resumed her route on the Potomae River, will leave Washington on TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS, at 6. A. M. Returning, will leave Currioman on WEDNESDAYS and SATURDAYS, stopping at all the regular Land-

ings, going and returning.

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at 7½ o'clock, P. M., for Richmond, New Orleans, William Perry, Memphis, and intermediate points. Through Tickets at the Railroad Station. The Trains leave Alexandria at 7, A. M., and :30, P. M.; arriving at Alexandria at 2, P. M., and

3, A. M. Leave Gordonsville at 10:20, A. M., and No Night Train on Sunday.

jy 4—tf J. R. NICKLIN, Ticket Agent.

jy 4-tf MANASSAS GAP RAILROAD.

THE PARTY OF THE P DASSENGERS for this Road will leave the Alexandria Station, in the Orange Train, at 7. A. M., daily (Sundays excepted.) arrive at Alexandria at 2. P. M. Through tickets by this route to Middleburg and Winchester.

The Trains leave Mount Jackson daily (Sun-

days excepted,) at 7:30, A. M., and arrive at Alexandria at 1:55, P. M. jy 6-tf EDWARD GREEN, Treasurer.

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and departing on the Orange road, and the Washington Branch of the Baltimore Road.

Passengers will leave Alexandria for Washington, in the Cars, at the following hours: -5:45, 9:10, 10:10, 11:10, and 12:10, A. M., 1:45, 2:10,

4:10, 5:10, 6:10, and 7:10 P. M.
Passengers from Washington to Alexandria, will take the Omnibuses at the Office of the Company, as follows: - 6, 7:50, 9, 10, 11, and 12, A. M.: 1:30, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7, P. M. On Sundays, the hours will be: Leave Alexan

dria at 9:10, 10:10; and 11:10, A. M., 1:15, 3:10, 4:10, 5:10, 6:10, and 7:10, P. M. Leave Washington at 9, 10, 11, A. M., 1:30, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7, P. M.

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Banking, Exchange, and Collection Office of CORSE BROTHERS, No. 93 Exchange Block, W E will make Collections on all accessible points in the United States, and hold pro-ceeds subject to Cheek, or rendt promptly to any

We will deal in Exchange, Time Bills, Promissory Notes, Uncurrent Money, Coin, de. STOCKS and other SECURITIES bought and sold on Commission, and LOANS negotiated on favorable terms. Interest allowed to Depositors. A varied experience of many years in this business, enables us to offer our services with confidence feb 19-tf ARTHUR BERBERT.

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ceeds subject to Check, or remit promptly to any designated point. We will deal in Exchange, Time Bills, Promissury Notes, Uncurrent Money, Coin, &c., STOCKS and other Securities bought and sold

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oet 8-tf JOHN MARSHALL.

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FOR SALE AND RENT.

FOR SALE OR RENT .- The comm us brick DWELLING HOUSE and LOT OF GROUND situated at the southwest corner of Prince and Alfred streets, in the city of Alexan deia, and at present occupied by Samuel R. Adams, esq. Possession given on the 1st of September

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NEGRO EMANCIPATION. The London Times indulges in the following reflections on the emancipation of the African race, which show that a wonderful YEAR. change has come over the English mind in regard to this subject :- "There is no blinking the truth. Years of bitter experience-years of hope deferred, of self-devotion unrequited, of poverty, of humiliation, of prayers unanswered, of sufferings derided, of insults unresented, of contumely patiently endured - have convinced us of the truth. It must be spoken out, loudly and energetically, despite the wild mockings of 'howling cant.' The freed West India negro slave will not till the soil for wages; the free son of the ex-slave is as 2 50 to 12 00 obstinate as his sire. He will cultivate lands which he has not bought for his own yams, mangoes and plantains. These satisfy his wants; he does not care for yours. Cotton, and sugar, and coffee, and tobacco-he cares little for them. And what matters it to him 30 00 that the Englishman has sunk his thousands and tens of thousands on mills, machinery and plant, which now totter on the lan-

"We know not why this should be; but it is so. The negro has been bought with a price -the price of English taxation and English toil. He has been 'redeemed from bondage by the sweat and travail of some millions of 7 50 hard-working Englishmen. Twenty millions of pounds sterling-one hundred millions of dollars-have been distilled from the brains and muscles of the free English laborer, of every degree, to fashion the West Indian negro into a 'Free and independent' laborer; 'Free and independent' enough he has become, God 6 00 knows; but laborer he is not; and so far as we 1 50 can see, never will be. He will sing hymns and quote texts, but honest, steady industry. 2 50 he not only detests but despises. We wish to Heaven that some people in England -neither government people, nor parsons, nor clergymen-but some just-minded, honest-Besides other Gifts, comprising a large and valu-ble assortment of miscellaneous articles, varying out to some of the islands—say Jamaica, Dominica, or Antigua-not for a month or three months, but for a year-would watch the precious protege of English philanthropy. the freed negro, in his daily habits; would last four years, would return their sincere thanks watch him as he lazily plants his little squatto the hundreds of thousands who have, in past time, seen fit to bestow their liberal patronage upon agricultural or domestic service, or accepts it would watch him while, with a hide thicker than that of a hippopotamus and a body to which fervid heat is a comfort rather an an novance, he droningly lounges over the prescribed task on which the intrepid English man, uninured to the burning sun, con-sumes his impatient energy and too often sacrifices his life. We wish they would go out and view the negro in all the blazonry of his idleness, his pride, his ingratitude, contemptously sneering at the industry of that race which made him free, and then come home and teach the memorable lesson of their experience to the fanatics who have

perverted him into what he is." TO FOR THE CAMP MEETING. The un dersigned having consented to take a company to the Fairfax Camp Meeting, to commence on the 19th inst., will be assisted by James M. Benton. Persons intending to join the company and board with us, will leave their names with Mr. Wm. N. Berkley, or the undersigned, at as early a day as practicable, that we may make our arrangement accordingly. [aug 10-5t*] J. H. MONROE.

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